

## WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Moderate to fresh south east to south winds; mostly cloudy and mild, with showers.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Moderate south east winds; mostly cloudy and mild, with occasional rain.

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## MASS ATTACK COST HEAVY TO GERMANS

Twenty-Two to Seven Score in Favor of R.A.F.—Scottish Squadron of Air Fighters Takes Ten Minutes to Blast Eight Messerschmitts From Sky

LONDON, Oct. 29 (P).—Germany revived massed air assault on Britain today, after a prolonged period of sporadic raiding, sending over hundreds of fighters and fighter-bombers, particularly against the Portsmouth naval base.

By 8 o'clock tonight twenty-two enemy aircraft had been downed to Britain's seven. Four Royal Air Force pilots were safe.

Highlight of the day's battles was the achievement of a Scottish auxiliary squadron. It took the squadron just ten minutes to blast eight Messerschmitt 109s out of the sky in a vicious dogfight over Kent at a 300-mile-an-hour pace.

Four times today and again tonight London was attacked from the air. Portsmouth was attacked twice.

Tonight was London's fifty-third night of air raids.

## ITALIANS REPULSED

With the German squadrons came at least nine heavy bombers believed to be Italian. They were accompanied by sixty Messerschmitt fighters and were turned away from the Kent coast by anti-aircraft fire.

All Portsmouth several houses and shops were wrecked, and a small number of persons killed during the evening attack.

In the day attack on Portsmouth anti-aircraft guns and fighters broke up the raiding squadrons, and the assault was described as "unsuccessful" by the Air Ministry.

Tonight, in London, even flares dropped by the attackers were machine-gunned before they could serve as beacons for bomb sighters.

Earlier, in the sight of thousands of Londoners, British ground guns shot down a raider over the city in the very centre of the city.

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## CLAIMS TURKEY HAS BIG FORCE

Turkish Aeronautical Engineer Says Nation Has Planes and Pilots

NEW YORK, Oct. 29 (P).—Amherst Celil Tahirk Erk, Turkish aeronautical engineer, said here today Turkey is ready to fight for independence and is much stronger in the air than is popularly believed.

He said Turkey's programme in the air had been to have 1,000 first-line fighting planes and 15,000 pilots by 1940, but this programme had been more than doubled under stress of war conditions in Europe.

Erk added that the Turkish Air Force has a number of reserve squadrons composed of women pilots, some of whom he said have seen active service in bombing rebellious Kurds, tribal nomads in the South.

## Hearst Sued For Nearly Five Million

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 29 (P).—William Randolph Hearst was sued for \$4,820,526 in Superior Court today by five persons who designated themselves as a committee for bondholders of the W.A.R. Realty Corporation.

The suit charged that Hearst had guaranteed payment of a \$7,000,000 bond issue by the corporation, of which \$4,844,750 is now outstanding, and a \$24,233 interest payment already made.

The complaint asserted Hearst had refused to pay the balance.

## British Knew of Plan of Italians

CAIRO, Oct. 29 (P).—Italy's plan to attack Greece this week was known to both the Greek and the British Governments seven days before the Italian ultimatum was served and steps to meet it were taken at once throughout the Near East; it was learned today on high authority.

This source said the Axis powers' idea in attempting to occupy Greece was to make that country the jumping-off place for a drive in the Eastern Mediterranean.

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## B.C. BORROWS FIVE MILLION

Some \$2,000,000 for Roads And \$3,000,000 in Refunding Concerned

Concurrently with the announcement by financial houses in Toronto, Hon. John Hart confirmed here yesterday the rate of \$5.067/00 in new British Columbia 4 per cent non-callable debentures maturing in ten years' time. Mr. Hart said \$3,000,000 of the loan would be used to retire Treasury bills held by the bank which advanced that sum in March so that the Province could meet an earlier maturity, and \$2,000,000 would be available for work upon provincial highways.

The issue, Mr. Hart said, is being handled by the Canadian Bank of Commerce, the Royal Bank of Canada and others in a syndicate of Toronto investment houses. The debentures will be sold to the public at \$99 per \$100, to yield approximately 4.125 per cent. The cost to the Province was not announced.

## PURPOSE OUTLINED

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Turkey is prepared for whatever may be the outcome of the dictators' latest attempt to dominate Eastern Europe. Apparently Russia has protested against extension of the war to the Balkans. Turkey could render Britain good service now by watching Bulgaria, where the Axis diplomats may exploit old Bulgarian claims to an outlet to the Mediterranean at Greece's expense. Already Britain has arranged to send assistance to Greece, which is united in its determination to resist those who would destroy it.

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FRENCH SEAMEN WANT TO SERVE

Sailors Aboard Demobilized Warships Ask to Join With Britain

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt, Oct. 29 (P).—Some seamen from the nine demobilized French warships at this British naval base publicly asked today to be allowed to resume the fight alongside the British.

White these attacks were going on, other bombers struck at German railway centres, principally at Krefeld, Cologne, Koblenz and Mannheim.

Nineteen airfields in Germany and occupied territory, and numerous anti-aircraft batteries were attacked.

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Agrees to Take Quantity of Leaf From Canada for the First Time

OTTAWA, Oct. 29 (P).—Trade Minister J. A. MacKinnon announced tonight the Australian Government has agreed to authorize importation of between 400,000 and 500,000 pounds of Canadian leaf tobacco last July 6, 2,000 of which had been consumed by the British since the war began.

The announcement, coming immediately before the opening of the House, forestalled an anticipated caucus drive for a definite highway programme next Spring. The issue was being heralded as the first the British Columbia approach to the Canadian market since 1933.

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SWEDISH SCIENTIST DIES

NEW YORK, Oct. 29 (P).—Dr. Gustavus Augustus Eisen, ninety-four, Swedish-born scientist, whose efforts to protect the California redwood trees largely led to establishment of the Sequoia National Park, died in his sleep today.

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POSITIVE ASSURANCE

MELBOURNE, Australia, Oct. 29 (P).—Prime Minister Robert Menzies announced appointment of a six-man War Cabinet and an all-party War Council of eight.

Members of the War Cabinet are:

The Prime Minister, Navy Minister W. M. Hughes, Treasurer A. W. Fadden, Army Minister P. C. Spencer, Air Minister John McEwen and Senator H. S. Poll, Minister of the Interior.

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OTTAWA, Oct. 29 (P).—The ambassador asserted that in his post as representative of the American people in London, he "would certainly become aware" of any such commitment and that he could assure you now with absolute sincerity and honesty that there has been no such commitment.

"If President Roosevelt were as wicked as his opponents charge,

which he is not, and even if he had undisclosed commitments, which he has not, the facts are against our participation in this war."

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Wartime Ceremonies Prevail at Opening Of B.C. Legislature

Governor Attends Commencement of Fifth Session

—Some Members in Service Uniform—Speech From Throne Read and Business Conducted

B RITISH Columbia's Nineteenth Legislature commenced its fifth session at 3:05 p.m. yesterday in a strictly wartime atmosphere. The Speech from the Throne declared Britain had weathered the first year of the war stronger than when she started.

The House, in a solemn, standing tribute, paid a vote of sympathy to the relatives of 140 officers and men of the Royal Canadian Navy lost on H.M.C.S. Magpie, and couched with it the loss of forty-five additional lives in the R.M.S. Empire.

Half of the Conservative members were found to be with the colors, and three of them were present in uniform, Lieut.-Col. F. M. MacIntosh, Capt. J. D. Hunter and Flying Officer E. V. Finland. Honor guards were

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## Canadian Anti-Tank Unit Ready for Any Emergency Say Men

"It's Like Potting Ducks on a Pond," Declares Sergeant-in-Charge of Eastern Canada's Battery—Crew Gives Demonstration

**W**ITH THE C.A.S.F. SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, Oct. 29 (CP).—An Eastern Canadian Anti-Tank Regiment has learned to handle its compact guns so well that the gunners say it's going to be like shooting ducks when they draw sights on enemy tanks.

"You just can't miss at 600 yards," said Sgt. R. P. Williamson, of Ottawa. "It's like potting ducks on a pond."

The regiment is established in Winter billets but its trucks, guns and equipment are kept packed away and ready to move to any new position on short notice.

The Ottawa battery, commanded by Major George Hutchinson, former dentist in the capital, is representative of the regiment's efficiency in operating the guns.

### A DEMONSTRATION

In a demonstration of how quickly the battery can move into position, a blast on a whistle brought the trucks rumbling along a road, towing the guns as swiftly as a light trailer. As the trucks slowed to a stop in an open area, troops spilled from the machines, unhooked the guns and cleared them for action in twenty-five seconds. The battery's anti-aircraft guns and light antitank rifles also were mounted and ready by the time the anti-tank guns were in place.

While gunnery is the principal concern of these Ottawans, considerable interest centres in a new mess hall which Major Hutchinson is having his men build in an old barn near the billets.

"It's giving my men something

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### NOTICE

### Victoria City Taxpayers

In Order to Avoid Additional 1% Penalty, 1940 Taxes Must Be Paid by November 1. Penalty Will Be Added.

**GEORGE A. OKELL,**  
Assessor and Collector.

### Lost His Life When Destroyer Sunk



ACTING L.S. VICTOR E. CARTER

TWENTY-ONE-YEAR-OLD Victoria boy, who lost his life when the ill-fated H.M.C.S. Margaree sank in collision while on its way to Canada. Acting L.S. Carter was the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Carter, of 1339 Harwood Street, Vancouver. His former address was at 721 Admirals Road. He was educated at Lampson Street School and joined the R.C.N. six years ago. He had served previously in H.M.C.S. Skeena and Restigouche. Besides his parents, there survive three brothers, Edgar, Ronnie and Bob, all with the R.C.N., and his sister, Mrs. H. Clark, 1010 Empress Avenue.

### SIX BONFIRES PLANNED HERE

Pro-Recs and Y.M.C.A. to Entertain Children in City On Hallowe'en

Six Hallowe'en bonfires have been arranged by the City Council parks committee, Parent-Teacher Associations and the Kiwanis Club. Children will be entertained by tumbling and burlesque acts, a drawing for prizes, and distribution of peanuts and candy. No firecrackers will be permitted at the bonfires.

The Pro-Recs will entertain at 7 o'clock by the bonfire at Douglas Street and Garibaldi Road. At Spencer Park, near Oaklands School, the Pro-Recs will appear at 7:30 o'clock, and the Y.M.C.A. acrobatic troupe at 8 o'clock.

Pro-Recs will entertain at Oswego and Niagara Streets at 8:20 o'clock, and at St. Charles and Brooke Streets at 8:40 o'clock.

### BUILDINGS CONDEMNED

"What was left of the buildings was condemned under the Fire Marshal's Act, having been destroyed to more than 75 per cent of their value," the chief said. Buildings such as these were prohibited under the zoning by-law to be destroyed to the extent mentioned and could not be rebuilt.

A complaint from Charlie and Elgin Badger, Wollaston Street, and fourteen other residents of the municipality about the unsightly condition of an old shed on Wollaston Street, used as a garage, was laid on the table for further consideration. At the present time the council is seeking an amendment to existing legislation that will give it power to remove unsightly buildings.

### Margaree Victim Was Well Known In Victoria

Chief Petty Officer Alan Creigh-Crane, who was lost in the sinking of H.M.C.S. Margaree, was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Gwyn Overy, Errington, V.I., and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. W. Millard, 30 South Turner Street. Mrs. G. W. Ley, 845 Devonshire Road, was his aunt.

P.O. Overy was born in Victoria twenty-eight years ago and received his early schooling at Errington, later returning to Victoria, where he completed his education. He had served in H.M.C.S. Vancouver, Skeena, Restigouche and Fraser. Besides his parents and aunt, he is survived by his wife, in Halifax, and one child, aged five years. He had been married for seven years. His former address was 872 Cowper Avenue.

Born in London, C.P.O. Crane was twenty-four years of age. Educated at St. Michael's School and the Esquimalt High School; he joined the navy in 1938. In August of the same year he was appointed to H.M.S. York, in which ship he served for several months. Returning to Victoria, he was assigned to H.M.C.S. Fraser, and was in that ship at the time she was sunk in collision off Bordeaux.

Following a short period in shore barracks in England, he was assigned to H.M.C.S. Margaree.

### CHURCH PARADE

Of interest to many people will be the special parade of the Life Boys, to be held at the Centennial Church school room on Friday at 7 p.m. All parents and friends will be welcomed.

### G. T. T. LEDINGHAM DIES IN CHEMAINUS

Following a short illness, the death occurred in Chemainus yesterday of George Thomas Threlil Ledingham. He was in his seventy-eighth year. Born at Owen Sound, Ont., Mr. Ledingham came to Victoria fifty-four years ago from Greenbank, Ont. He is survived by his wife, at the family residence, 3136 Quadra Street, and three daughters, Mrs. L. A. McLachlin, Chemainus; Miss Gladys Ledingham, at home, and Mrs. R. A. Lipsey, Burdick Street, Victoria.

Funeral services will be held on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Rev. Dr. A. E. Whitehouse will officiate and cremation will take place at Royal Oak.

## YOUNGER MEN IN THIS WAR

### Active Leaders in the Fighting Services Well Under Sixty Years

LONDON, Oct. 29 (CP).—Youth is having its fling in this war with the active leaders of the three British fighting services well under the age of sixty.

The appointment of Vice-Admiral John C. Tovey as Commander-in-Chief, Home Fleet, represents an average age of fifty-four for the four men who personally lead the fighting forces of the army, navy and air force.

General Sir John Brooke, Commander-in-Chief, Home Forces, is fifty-seven; Air Marshal Sir Charles Portal, who directs all operations of the Royal Air Force, is forty-seven; Admiral Tovey, who leads all naval units in home waters is fifty-five, and Admiral Sir Andrew Cunningham is fifty-seven.

### CHIEF OF STAFF

General Sir John Dill, Chief of the Imperial General Staff, the man who deals with long-range strategy in all theatres of war and is the connecting link between the armed forces and the War Cabinet, is fifty-nine. The only "old man" in the high command of any service is Admiral Sir Philip Beresford, First Sea Lord and Chief of the Naval Staff, and he is only sixty-three.

The appointment of Admiral Tovey was emphasized as a young man's war and a war of small ships. He had had a long and brilliant record with the navy, specializing in destroyers and destroyer tenders.

### AND SMALL SHIPS

From the first day this has been a small-ships war, a war of destroyers, cruisers, submarines and even torpedo-boats. But the battle fleets remain the pivots for the whole naval campaign, holding the Mediterranean and the North Sea against the Italian and German navies while the small vessels escort convoys, lay and sweep mines, patrol commerce routes and blockade minor countries. This work would be impossible unless the big ships were there to hold the sea against sudden raids by enemy battleships or carrier aircraft.

If the German or Italian navies ever agree to a big-scale naval action in the North Sea or Mediterranean, it is believed here that Admiral Tovey and Admiral Cunningham, with their vast experience of small ships, will apply the Beatty touch that played so important a part at the Battle of Jutland in the last war.

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### PRO-RECS PERMITTED NEWS OF BALKAN WAR

BERLIN, Oct. 29 (AP).—The German public knew today that Italy had served an ultimatum on Greece but it was kept in ignorance of the fact that a new battlefield for the Axis actually had developed.

National newspapers published the text of the twenty-four-hour-old Italian ultimatum with comment from Rome as to why it was sent, but made no mention of Greece's decision to fight.

Instead, columns were devoted to the Florence meeting of Mussolini and Hitler, with assurances that it was all part of a development toward the Axis vision of a new Europe.

### HOLY COMMUNION

Friday, November 1, being All Saints Day, there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at St. Mark's Church at 10 a.m.

### IN THE BRILLIANT NEW

CALGARY, Oct. 29 (CP).—Mrs. Mary Halstead, ninety-two, who arrived in Canada eighty-one years ago by sailing ship after a five-week trip across the Atlantic, died at her home here today.

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### for '41

EDMONTON, Oct. 29 (CP).—For general service for Hon. D. B. McLean, Alberta Minister of Agriculture, who died suddenly here yesterday, will be held in McDougall United Church tomorrow afternoon. Premier Aberhart and all members of the Alberta executive council are expected to attend.

Numbers drawn from the glass bowl—also used in 1917 during the war-time draft—corresponded to the numbers in each local board district. Thus No. 158, the first drawn, is the number in each of the local board districts first on the list for call.

Each local board has been given a quota of men it must furnish for training to fill out the number of men required by the army.

### HEAVING QUESTIONNAIRE

The local board will work on the numerical list drawn in Washington. Men whose numbers have been called, up to the quantity of manpower required in each local district, will be sent a questionnaire eight pages long.

After the questions are answered, the questionnaire will give

a picture of the man's status as a citizen, describing his physical condition, his dependents, his feelings about war and his occupation.

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The call for service will go, in the first instance, only to those qualified in generally those without dependents physically fit and not engaged in an occupation essential to the country in time of war.

They will be given a medical examination and, if they pass, will be sent to the nearest training camp.

It is provided that at no time during peace will more than 800,000 be in training.

The first general encampment opens November 18

with 20,000 in training, and the subsequent calls will be 80,000 men

## First of American Conscripts Called In Unique Ceremony

Nearly 800,000 Men Will Begin Training Between Now and Next June—President and Secretary of War Present at Drawing

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29 (UPI).—Henry Stimson, United States Secretary of War, blindfolded, groped into a famous old goldfish bowl today with his left hand and then withdrew it, grasping a tiny blue cylinder.

The cylinder contained the first number in the United States selective draft for war service. Nearly 800,000 men will begin, now and June 15, 1941, a year's military training.

An army officer opened the first cylinder and took out a numbered slip. He handed it to President Roosevelt.

The first number drawn by the Secretary of War is Serial Number 158. Mr. Roosevelt announced slowly.

Other officials, Cabinet members, members of Congress and a long procession of veterans each drew a capsule from the bowl. Then expert crews from Selective Service headquarters took over the job.

### AMERICAN SYSTEM

In many respects the United States Compulsory Service Act resembles Canada's National Service Mobilization Act. But it is different in essential features. Canada draws first from the lowest age class of single men. In the United States all men who were between the ages of twenty-one and thirty-five, inclusive, October 16 last were called upon to register.

They registered to the extent of about 17,000,000 men. The draw in Washington will determine the order in which the men will be called for military training.

The girls, under the leadership of Captain Norman Foster, have marched their way to fame in their intricate drills at various functions along the Pacific Coast. During their visit to the Portland Rose Festival, they made seven appearances, with a total of twenty-eight hours on stage.

Pictures of the team and of Victoria will be shown throughout the United States and Canada, as a reminder of the team's participation in a travelogue movie taken here recently, as well as in numerous shorter films.

Mentioned extensively in connection with Victoria in the foreign press, the girls have also materially aided in worthy charitable undertakings locally. In addition, many organizations presenting performances and conventions here have been aided by the team.

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They will be given a medical examination and, if they pass, will be sent to the nearest training camp.

It is provided that at no time during peace will more than 800,000 be in training.

The first general encampment opens November 18 with 20,000 in training, and the subsequent calls will be 80,000 men

there are so many extras at no extra cost that



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## THE FATE OF GREECE

It would be well if, because of the need of maintaining a broad outlook on the War as it develops, no delusions were entertained about the coming fate of Greece. That country will fall into the hands of the Axis Powers. If Italy shows signs of any failure to make the campaign quick, one there is no doubt that German divisions, twenty, or even thirty of them if necessary, will be sent to her aid. The Third Reich has now, if reports can be relied upon, seventy divisions poised for action in the Balkans; some 1,250,000 men, awaiting for the moment the outcome of the latest Italian offensive, the first offensive, in fact, that the lesser of the Axis partners has attempted in the War, for the advance of Italian motorized columns in the Egyptian desert cannot be characterized as such. Germany decreed the invasion of Greece; she will insure that it does not fail.

British aid to the extent necessary to maintain the integrity of Greece could not be forthcoming in time. The armies of Egypt and Palestine cannot be weakened by furnishing an expeditionary force, and no force large enough to withstand joint Italian and German power in the Balkans is available. In a naval sense, Great Britain can preserve some of the Grecoan island possessions in the Mediterranean, can harry the Grecoan coastline when it is occupied by the enemy, and may be able to prevent the Italian Fleet from establishing itself at Grecoan ports. On the islands of Corfu and Crete air bases can be used for harrying an occupied Greece, but beyond these factors in the new situation it is difficult to foresee how the southeastern thrust of the Axis Powers can be stayed at this time. It could be, and perhaps successfully, or substantially delayed, were Turkey to enter the War on the side of Great Britain. Without the aid of Turkey in this particular arena of operations the British peoples and the world can only subscribe to a coming fact which nothing short of a miracle could avert. The Greek people, brave, resourceful and determined as they are, cannot for long successfully struggle against a great preponderance of military strength both in man power and machines, and an overwhelming superiority in

## FOR THE HOME FRONT

Whatever may be the attitude of the Government at Ottawa on the subject of the conferring of titles or the award of decorations for distinguished or meritorious service to the state, it could well give some consideration to the granting of a ribbon or a medal to those on the home front who stand out above their fellows in the war work they are doing. This could apply to both men and women; to those of the Active Service Force who are retained for duty in Canada; to officers and men of the Permanent Militia, who have so many and exacting duties at the present time, and to officers and men of the N.P.M. units as well as to Veterans of the Great War who are again so enthusiastically and devotedly serving their country in uniform. For those in the services a special medal could be struck for distinguished conduct, and a medal of perhaps a different order for distribution among those civilians, men or women, who render special help in the war effort.

Men of the Active Service Forces of Canada who are on the fighting front, are in line for decorations from His Majesty, and there have already been many thrills of pride in this country because of their bestowal. The King has created the orders of the George Cross, so that civilians in all branches of public service in Great Britain, who perform notable and outstanding deeds of devotion and duty may be eligible for these awards. There should be equivalent decorations in this country. They would prove an inspiration to the people, and especially among that very large body of citizenship engaged in war work that, as yet, has obtained no official recognition whatever from the Government. It would be an excellent thing if the matter were brought up and decided upon at the coming session of Parliament. It is one that would meet with the unanimous approval of the people of this country.

## STILL PLEADING

When British Columbia's municipalities were invited to put a digest of their financial circumstances before the Rowell Commission, and did so, they were accepting in good faith a Federal survey which has since been completed and presented to the Dominion, with very full notes and appendices. In so far as the municipalities are concerned, little has since been heard of the matter. Meanwhile, the general position of municipal finance has remained unchanged. Burdens have been added to in a number of diverse respects. Such monetary relief as has been granted has been declared by the municipalities themselves to be inadequate, and all appeals to Federal or Provincial authority have been met with the response that nothing can be done now.

For two years the municipalities were told that all would be well when the Rowell Commission reported. For a time that served, but the Commission has long ago stepped, and there has been no constructive step since to realign the basis of Provincial and municipal responsibility. In one sense, therefore, Vancouver was speaking for all British Columbia's municipalities when it approached the Provincial Government last week.

It may be axiomatic that in war time self-help is the first form of relief; but problems that have accumulated over a long period of years cannot be dismissed so easily. To a very creditable extent, the municipalities have tried to help themselves. They have cut their budgets, pared their outlays, and husbanded their resources to the best of their abilities.

Victoria and several other centres were forced

into refunding the major portion of their debts. Vancouver complains that some time ago it reached the limit of taxation on realty values. Smaller and less insistent municipalities have suffered in silence, but it is a silence that has given little assent to the postponement of a settlement upon which action was promised quite long ago.

## TAX ON BOOKS

When Great Britain put a tax on books imported from foreign countries, Mr. J. B. Priestley, the author, described it as "a mischievous tax," as "a fine on the public for indulging in a most valuable form of recreation." So much criticism developed in Great Britain against the tax that it was annulled. This country, in its last budget, put a 10 per cent tax on articles imported from foreign countries, and this applies to books. There is exactly the same argument against such reading matter being taxed here as there was in the Motherland. Numerous organizations have taken up the fight to have this tax repealed, and among others the British Columbia Library Association. It strikes heavily at public and university libraries, some of which may have limited funds for the purchase of books, and yet they are expected to keep up to date in their supplies of reading matter.

It is a new conception, in these days of universal education, that books should be regarded as in the luxury class. Most people now consider them among the necessities of life. In the case of the public library there is general recognition of the fact that it has become the poor man's university. In universities, books of many characters and from many points of origin are needed if higher education is to be complete. What is of most importance of all in this time of crisis is that books are, what the United States Commissioner of Education describes as "among our best allies in the fight to make democracy work," and that "when people are burning books in other parts of the world, we ought to distribute them with greater vigor." In an enlightened country no case can be made out for a tax on books. The people of this Dominion are enlightened enough not to wish any bars to be placed on their ability to extend their knowledge. The tax should be repealed.

## ITALIANS IN SYRIA

Commentators who are speculating so extensively on a possible offensive by the Axis Powers through southeastern Europe to Syria, and thence to the oil fields of Iraq, appear to have lost sight of the fact that Syria is, to all intents and purposes, now in the hands of the enemy. An Italian Military Commission has been there since early last month. Syria and Lebanon were two areas mandated to France, and now, in the turn of events, they have accepted the Vichy Government. General Fouquer, the new Commander-in-Chief of the French forces there, has been engaged in secret negotiations with the Italians and arranging for their share in the political control of the area. There is to be a reduction of the French garrison and the dismantling of its equipment. The Italians are taking precautions to prevent any movement in Syria and Lebanon in favor of General de Gaulle and the free French forces. This all means that an Axis drive through Southeastern Europe into Asia would encounter no resistance in Syria, a territory which is being steadily transformed into an Italian dependency.

## NEUTRALITY

"Yes, 'War is Hell,' And Peace is Hell, if it's Peace with the Devil in power. Yet, if this not your quarrel, and not your hour. If you have chosen Peace, you have chosen well. But—scatter your armies, burn your ships, Tear the breach-block out of the gun! Never again can you fight who fight not now. No rallying-call can ever rise to your lip. Your lives are fair, and you can make your vow. There is no cause to fight for; only the one. Only one gage of battle, only one battle-song: Right against Wrong."

—A. A. Milne.

A little philosophy inclineth a man's mind to atheism, but depth in philosophy bringeth men's minds about to religion.—Aytoun.

## The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, October 29, 1940.

## SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

Present conditions low over the Queen Charlotte Islands, and remains relatively high off the California Coast. The weather has been unsettled and mild throughout British Columbia, with light to moderate rains in most districts.

It is fair and colder in the Prairie Provinces.

## PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Precipitation	Min.	Max.
Victoria	.07	47	55
Nanaimo	.05	46	54
Sa. John	.05	47	54
Kamloops	.09	49	53
Prince George	.27	47	53
Estevan Point	.82	48	55
Prince Rupert	.16	44	53
Langara	.53	47	53
Trace	.03	41	41
Atlin	.03	28	33
Dawson	.03	28	33
Sadie	.03	28	33
Portland	.32	48	59
San Francisco	.02	42	53
Pentleton	.43	43	43
Vernon	.38	43	43
KeLOWna	.36	43	43
Kaslo	.14	39	45
Cranbrook	.36	46	46
Calgary	.15	40	47
Edmonton	.30	49	49
Swift Current	.30	47	47
Regina	.34	47	47
Prince Albert	.34	47	47
Winnipeg	.43	46	46
Toronto	.30	44	44
Ottawa	.22	45	45
Saint John	.32	44	44
Halifax	.36	45	45

## TUESDAY

Minimum 47  
Average 53  
Maximum 55

Weather: cloudy, sunshiny. Oct. 29 4 hrs 12 mins.  
Total rain ending 24 hours 4 p.m., Oct. 29, 17.1ns.

## 5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.70; wind, S. 6 miles; cloudy. Vancouver—Barometer, 29.77; wind, SE, 15 miles; raining.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.81; calm; cloudy.

Prince George—Barometer, 29.65; wind, SE, 10 miles; mostly cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.56; wind, SE, 2 miles; raining.

Langara—Barometer, 29.45; wind, S. 5 miles; cloudy.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.72; wind, S. 10 miles; cloudy.

Tatsoi—Barometer, 29.74; wind, S. 15 miles; raining.

Portland—Barometer, 29.88; wind, SE, 10 miles; raining.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.82; wind, SE, 10 miles; fair.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.05; wind, NW, 5 miles; cloudy.

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## Note and Comment

By SANDHAM GRAVES

Well, there it is. There is the name of a friend in the casualty lists, lost at sea. Eighteen months ago he was in my house, and I sat into the fire with me. I can see the firelight on his clean-cut young profile. He had a broad, deep forehead, over which the hair curled crisply. Wide-spaced and blue, his eyes looked out with the merriest twinkl. I had seen in many a man, and quiet good sense of a man who had, already seen something of the world. I was surprised and pleased to learn that he, holding commissions rank, had already spent three years with the Royal Navy, mostly in the Mediterranean; that he had been through staff schools in Britain, where naval tradition becomes part of the character of a man. I was delighted in his obvious pride in the service, and of the confidence that sat unobtrusively but firmly on those square-cut shoulders. He was not yet thirty. I thought of him as a boy; but I was wrong. For ten years he had been a man, and of the full stature of a man. 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## RED BRAND BEEF

RUMP ROASTS (First Cut)	lb. 23c
WING RIB ROASTS (Tender)	lb. 23c
T-BONE ROASTS (Choice)	lb. 25c
PORTERHOUSE ROASTS	lb. 29c
ROLLED PRIME RIBS	Oven Roasts
ROLLED RIB-POT ROASTS	lb. 20c
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Sausage	Swift's, 15-oz. can	each 20c
Salmon	Tiger Brand, No. 1/2 can	2 for 27c
Pears	Saanich Brand, 16-oz. can	2 for 27c
Apricots	Aylmer, 26-oz. can	each 20c
Chicken	Aylmer, Boned, 7-oz. can	each 24c
Syrup	Rogers' Golden, 2-lb. can	each 16c
Chopped Suet	1-lb. Cello. package	15c
Fig Bars	Red Arrow, 16-oz. Cello. package	each 17c
Prunes	Medium Size, 2-lb. Cello. package	each 18c

## PEAS

Sugar Belle, Sieve 2, 16-oz. can, each	14c
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## CORN

Country Home, Golden Bantam, 16-oz. can	2 for 19c
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## Tomatoes

Red Hill, No. 2 1/2 can, each	11c
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## TOMATO JUICE

Sunny Dawn, delicious, 10 1/2-oz. can, ea.	5c
26-oz. can, 2 for 19c	

## MACARONI

Ready cut, 2-lb. Cello. pkg.	each 10c
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Sugar Belle, Sieve 2, 16-oz. can, each	14c
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Fresh roasted, just the thing for Hallowe'en	2 lbs. 19c
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## WOMEN READY FOR CAMPAIGN

Community Chest Volunteers Discuss Plans for Drive Next Week

Volunteer women workers for the Community Chest—those who undertake the arduous house-to-house canvass to help swell the fund upon which Victoria's social welfare organizations depend, held an enthusiastic meeting at the home of Miss Sara Spencer yesterday afternoon, the second meeting this week for the purpose of planning for the opening of the \$100,000 drive on Monday next.

The workers heard brief talks by Duncan MacBride, campaign chairman, and Mrs. Kenneth Barr, Community Chest secretary, who explained the contents of the "kit" supplied to the canvassers. Mrs. Robin Piers and Mrs. A. E. Harris presented an amusing skit, cleverly written to give the volunteers some guidance in how to approach "prospects."

### PREVENTION MEASURES

The value of the doctrine that prevention is better than cure was emphasized during a discussion of reasons why character-building and youth guidance institutions are included in the agencies supported by the Community Chest. In a discussion on delinquency, its prevention and its attempted cure, Mrs. Cushing, general secretary of the Y.W.C.A., spoke on the character-building agencies; Miss L. Mess, superintendent of the Children's Aid Society, on rebuilding the delinquent; Mrs. W. E. M. Mitchell, on the work of the John Howard Society; Miss D. Yates, on rebuilding the family, and Miss A. Creaser, superintendent of the Victorian Order of Nurses, on community health.

Last night an organizational dinner meeting of "B" Division, the group which attends to the canvassing of business offices, was held. Community Chest officers will address many meetings this week of employees of large industrial plants, explaining the work of the chest and agencies, and speakers will be made available for all groups desiring such enlightenment.

## DENIES ANY COMMITMENT

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stay out of war. It is today our guarantee of peace."

Dwelling specifically on the war issue, Kennedy said: "If we declare war, our own best interests would be harmed. England's valiant fight is giving us time to prepare. Without assistance from us the British will find it much more difficult to carry on."

### HARMFUL TO BRITAIN

He said nothing could be more harmful from the viewpoint of Great Britain than a declaration of war by United States.

Discussing the possibility that the United States could be attacked, Kennedy said that problem presented "the same difficulties to any belligerent that our attacking does."

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# Women's Organizations and Activities

## Farmerettes' Box Social Novel Dance Attraction

Solarium Junior League Hostesses at Amusing Party at Yacht Club—Prizes Given for Costumes—"Scarecrows" Dance

Members of the Solarium Junior League, with their flair for fun and parties, held a novel dance last night at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club, the party being called the Farmerettes' Box Social. It was organized on leap Year lines, the ladies inviting their partners and providing the suppers.

None for the evening was the usual nautical appearance of the Yacht Club, for the committee in charge of the dance arrangements had ingeniously turned it into a temporary "barn." Sheaves of wheat and cornstalks, pumpkins, hayrakes, pitchforks, and other farm implements adorned the dance room, and the orchestra dais was hardly distinguishable among the wheat and straw with which it was surrounded.

The proceeds of the dance will go towards the Solarium Junior League's general fund. Those responsible for the success of the undertaking were Miss Helen Eve, general convener; Mrs. A. Radford, Mrs. A. Baker and Miss Helen Parkison.

The committee and members of the league welcomed many members of the navy, army and air force, who attended as guests of the members and their friends.

### Clubs-Societies

#### Hallowe'en Party

All Senior Club girls are invited to the Y.W.C.A. Hallowe'en masquerade to be held tomorrow at 8 p.m., when a novel programme will be presented in keeping with the occasion. There will be prizes for costumes and refreshments will be served by members of the Omphalos Club. The Viatra-Vega girls will decorate the clubrooms for the party and the Live Yers, Versatiles, Senior Business and Y-Owence Club will assist with the programme.

**Alumnae Bazaar**

The Royal Jubilee Hospital Alumnae Association will hold a bazaar

## Married in United Church



—Photo by Savannah.  
Lance-Corporal James Wolfe Passmore, R.C.E., and His Bride, Formerly Miss Grace Anderson Stevenson, Who Were Married Recently in First United Church.

on Wednesday, November 6, from 3 to 5:30 p.m., at the Nurses' Home, Richmond Avenue. Mrs. W. Tucker is the general convener and the stalls will be convened by the following: Novelites, Mrs. D. J. Hunter; handkerchiefs, Miss Z. Harmon; Mrs. Banyard; games, Miss M. home cooking, Mrs. W. Leal; candy, son, and tea, Mrs. D. McLoud.

#### Mission of Alresfs

A show will be held at 1042 Balmoral Road tomorrow afternoon to provide prizes for the housewives at the sale of work which is to start on November 1 at the Coast Hall, 1416 Douglas Street. Other attractions of the sale will include stalls for fancywork, aprons and home cooking. Tea will be provided with cup and card readings. In the evening there will be a card party with refreshments and prizes.

#### Schubert Club

The Schubert Club will present its first concert of the season at Wilkinson Road, United Church on Tuesday, November 5, at 8:15 p.m. The programme will include choral numbers as well as solos and duets by individual members. Frederic King will conduct and the accompanist will be Mrs. Pierre Timp.

#### R.C.A. Auxiliary

The W.A. to the Royal Canadian Artillery will meet at the home of Mrs. H. Barker, 468 Head Street, Esquimalt, this evening at 8 o'clock. Wives and mothers of the artillerymen are welcome.

#### Daughters of St. George

Princess Patricia Lodge, No. 238, Daughters of St. George, will meet in the K. of C. Hall on Friday at 8 p.m.

#### Ministering Circle

The Ministering Circle of the King's Daughters will meet on Friday at 3 p.m.

#### Weddings

##### WHELDON-POLLOCK

The wedding was quietly solemnized in St. John's Church at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, by Captain the Rev. T. de Pencier, of Dorothy, younger daughter of Mr. R. Pollock, 1017 Oliphant Street, and the late Mrs. Pollock, youngest son of the late Mr. S. D. Wheldon and Mrs. Wheldon, 620 Michigan Street. Mr. Ian Galliford presided at the organ, and during the signing of the register, Mr. Pierre Lampung sang "Through the Years." The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a smart afternoon frock of queen's rose crepe with navy blue accessories and a corsage bouquet of roses and swansons. Miss Irene Brockington, the bridesmaid, was dressed in teal blue with navy blue accessories and a corsage bouquet of pink carnations. Mr. Douglas Hunt was best man and Mr. Dick Pollock was usher. The bride and groom left immediately after the ceremony for a honeymoon on the Mainland and will take up residence in the Lee Oak Apartments, Vancouver Street, on their return.

##### RICE-PURDY

The marriage took place last evening at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. Hugh A. McLeod, of Margaret Patricia, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Purdy, 40 Robertson Street, and Mr. George Rice, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Rice, 212 Simcoe Street.

## Tells Story Of Journey In Arabia

### ENGAGEMENTS

**FLEMING-BILLARD**  
Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Billard, 2762 Heron Street, Oak Bay, announce the engagement of their young daughter, Harriet, to Mr. William Hugh Fleming, son of the late Mr. Fleming and Mrs. McColl, 1191 West Hastings Street, Vancouver. The wedding will take place on November 20 at 8 p.m. in Metropolitan United Church.

### Women's Institutes

#### LAKE HILL

An invitation is extended by the Lake Hill Hill to girls and boys up to the age of fourteen years to attend a Hallowe'en masquerade party in the Lake Hill Hall Saturday evening from 6:30 to 9 o'clock in aid of the Solarium. Instead of admission tickets, the children are asked to bring gifts of jams, jelly, vegetables, fruit or any canned goods, which will be sent to the Solarium as the annual Christmas gift. An entertainment programme will include motion pictures of the Solarium by Douglas Flintoff and Frank Merrifield with his magical tricks. There will also be a Treasure Trail contest and prizes for the best and most comic costumes.

**ESQUIMALT**  
The fortnightly card party will be held by the Esquimalt W.I. tomorrow evening at 8:15 o'clock in the parlour hall. There will be prizes and refreshments.

#### CHURCH DINNER

Members of the Oak Bay United Church and their friends attended the annual church dinner recently in the school room, where the tables were prettily arranged with chrysanthemums. Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., gave an interesting talk on "The Church's Worth While Today." The musical programme was much enjoyed, Miss Ruth Bawtinheir singing three solos, accompanied at the piano by Miss Doreen Briggs, and Mr. L. Partington played two organ numbers. Rev. F. R. G. Dredge thanked all those who had attended and helped to make the evening so enjoyable.

#### OAKLANDS

Arabia, a country as big as Europe without Russia, during the last 100 years had been visited by only about twenty Europeans, chiefly because of the vast sterility of the land and the Arabs' aversion to European contact, the speaker said.

Although generally imagined as arid desert, part of the country was shown to possess big mountain ranges partially forested. The mountain people were cave-dwellers. Their cave, which lived in their caves with them, represented the entire wealth.

An interesting picture shown by Dr. Thomas was of ancient stones covered with characters similar to those used by the early Phoenicians. Dating back to about 1000 B.C., these were real finds, some of which subsequently were presented to the British Museum.

The zigzag course taken by the expedition was explained as being due to the canals, which depended on pasture, and the course, therefore, had to follow the direction of oases and pasture.

Miss James Adam presided, and Miss Margaret Clay moved the vote of thanks to the speaker, Mrs. W. H. Wilson, accompanied by Mrs. C. C. Warn, contributed two numbers, "A Picture" and "My Land."

The two bursary winners, Miss Elizabeth Carr, of Norfolk House School, and John Depere, Oak Bay High School, were introduced. It was announced that Miss Julie Matousková, formerly general secretary of the Y.W.C.A. in Prague, Czechoslovakia, would address a meeting of the club on Tuesday, November 5.

#### TO FIT IN

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### J.B.A.A. DANCE

The J.B.A.A. Hallowe'en dance will be held in the clubhouse tomorrow evening. A Klondike night has been arranged and a good orchestra will play for dancing. Refreshments will be served. Dresses will be informal, gingham and overalls preferred. Tickets may be obtained from club members or at the door.

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## A Bridal Party at Duncan



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Seaman Denis Colegrave, of H.M.C.S. Restigouche, and his bride, formerly Miss Hilda Holbrook, of Duncan. They were attended by Mr. Colegrave, Victoria, and Miss Alice Linton, Duncan, when they were married in St. John's Church, Duncan, on October 14.



# Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest



## Social and Personal

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. E. W. Hamber held a reception at Government House yesterday afternoon following the formal opening of the Provincial Legislature. Included among the 250 guests invited were the Cabinet ministers and members of the Legislature and their wives, Senators and members of the Dominion Parliament living in British Columbia, as well as members of the judiciary.

His Honor and Mrs. Hamber received in the drawing room, which was arranged with exquisite chrysanthemums and dahlias. Mrs. Hamber wore a gown of claret crepe, the front of the bodice being fastened with a beautiful green and claret red rhinestone ornament. The aides in attendance were Brigadier J. Sutherland Munro, Colonel Vincent McLean, Colonel Hugh Alderson, R.C.N.V.R., and Captain W. H. Nelson and Mr. Hew Petersen. A musical programme was played by an orchestra while tea was being served in the ballroom. The long tables were arranged with silver bowls of rose-pink chrysanthemums and silver candelabra held lighted tapers. Choice chrysanthemums grouped round the room added to the beauty of the setting.

**Tea at Empress**

Mrs. P. E. Taylor and Mrs. Harold Campbell presided at the table at the Women's Canadian Club tea at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon, following the address given by Dr. Bertram Thomas, M.B.E. The special guests were Dr. Thomas, Mrs. W. H. Wilson, who was soloist; Mrs. C. C. Warn, the accompanist; John Depew and Elizabeth Carr, winners of the club bursary; Mrs. Depew, Mrs. Neff, Mrs. W. M. Carr and Miss Atkins, who others present were Madames James Adie, John Hunter, Murdoch Dryer, A. Wilson, Alan Campbell, T. H. and A. T. Johnstone, W. O. Pyfe, F. M. Bryant, H. C. Kinghorn, W. K. Willis, G. C. Harris, W. J. Wilson, S. H. Frame, E. M. Straight, May Joyce, E. Bell, R. Williams, Cherie, Henry Howard, P. B. Scouras, W. G. Halkett, J. G. Smart, A. S. Christie, J. S. McMurphy (Victoria), G. J. Alexander, W. McCague, A. Knight, Raybird, Ayley (Edmonton), E. H. Bayley (London), E. H. Bird, W. D. Calder, Peter McNaughton, Harper, Dowling (London), W. Stewart Wilson, Herbert Booth, Mackenzie-Grieve, Alastair Campbell, Eileen (London), O. A. Butters, Johnson, William Miller (Prince Rupert), Mathison, Miss Alma Russell, Miss Kathleen Agnew and Miss Margaret Clay.

**Miscellaneous Shower**

Mrs. H. Abercrombie and Mrs. E. G. Smith were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Smith, 1950 Granite Street, in honor of Mrs. M. A. Kori (née Smith). Upon her arrival the bride was presented with a corsage bouquet of white and pink carnations. The gifts were concealed in a large "motor" launch decorated in the colors of the Royal Canadian Navy. An enjoyable evening was spent in contests and music, the winners being Mrs. J. H. Francis and Miss Ruth Boyd. Refreshments were served from a table

C. E. Gould, Victoria. Mr. and Mrs. Hill were presented with a boutonniere and a corsage bouquet early in the afternoon and later received a table lamp and blanket throw from the assembled guests. Tea was served from a beautifully arranged table, on which the anniversary cake, the gift of an old friend, held the place of honor.

**At Cathay Apartment Hotel**

Colonel Macgregor Macintosh, M.P.P., who has arrived from Calgary to attend the session of the Provincial Legislature, is staying at the Cathay Apartment Hotel, accompanied by Mrs. Macintosh.

**Visiting Here**

Mrs. Prescott Cockingham, Portland, Ore., is being much feted by her Victoria friends during a visit to her cousins, Hon. Mr. Justice and Mrs. H. B. Robertson, St. Charles Street.

**Making Good Progress**

Her many friends will be glad to know that Mrs. Charles E. Wilson, who recently underwent a serious operation at St. Joseph's Hospital, is making very favorable progress toward recovery.

**Cup and Saucer Shower**

In honor of Miss Margaret Purdy, whose wedding will take place shortly, Miss Zelma Wille entertained at her home on Wood Street with a tea and cup and saucer shower. The bride-to-be received a gardenia corsage bouquet, and the many lovely gifts were presented to her in a container attractively decorated in a color scheme of mauve and green. Mrs. R. D. Bennett and Mrs. Robert Agnew presided at the tea table, which was covered with a cutwork cloth, and in the centre a crystal bowl of pink chrysanthemums, lighted by yellow tapers in silver holders. The guests included Mrs. J. Purdy, Mrs. W. Purdy, Mrs. R. Agnew, Mrs. R. Whyte, Mrs. R. McLean, Mrs. J. Freele and Mrs. H. E. Wille, and Misses Margaret Purdy, Neese Wallace, Anne Lorne, Rita Galile, Mary and Peggy Whyte, Alice Skellern, Doreen King and Pat Purdy.

**Attending Congregation**

Among the Victorians attending the Fall congregation at the University of British Columbia are Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Tippett, 2825 Blatchford Street, accompanied by Mr. John Tippett and Miss Peggy Silburn. Mr. William G. G. Tippett will be among the graduates, receiving his Bachelor of Arts degree.

**Wedding Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Hill were guests of honor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. McGrath, 2860 Donald Street, on Saturday evening, the occasion being the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding, which took place in Battersea, London, on October 26, 1890. They came to Canada in 1906, living in Calgary until they moved to Victoria five years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Hill's family includes two sons, Mr. E. Hill, Portland, Oregon, and Mr. E. Hill, Calgary, and two daughters, Mrs. W. A. Fitzpatrick, Vulcan, Alberta, and Mrs.

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## Engagement Is Announced



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**MISSES BETTY SAVAGE**

Mr. and Mrs. W. Savage, Langford, announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth (Betty), to Mr. Melbourne Little, only son of Mr. and Mrs. George Little, 1032 Cloverdale Avenue, Saanich. The wedding will take place on November 9 at 8:30 p.m.

## "Devil's Work"

By CAROLYN WELLS

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**CHAPTER III**  
"Glad to have you. The jungle seems to agree with you. Never saw you looking better."

"Yes, two years of swamps and tigers is an infallible tonic. And Jean has blossomed into a perfect chateleine. That doesn't surprise me, for I know she can be anything she wants to be. She and Vivian are a handsome couple."

"They're an ideal couple. The same interests, the same sense of humor, the same good dispositions."

"Hold hard, there. We're not crediting Vivian Forrest with a good disposition, are we?"

"Why not? Oh, I remember. You were in Jean's net yourself before you went away, weren't you?"

"I don't care for the way you put it, but, yes, I have long admired Jean, as anyone must who knows her. I'm glad she's so congenitally as to her own will power."

"She, Jean Forrest, in her dressing room, listened absently to her maid's questions as to what she wished to wear.

"Oh, the silver lame, I think; or, no—not that tonight. Maybe the—oh, I don't know! Run away, Miami, for fifteen minutes—no, ten minutes—and then come back and I'll be ready to dress."

"The pretty girl went away, and Jean sat in front of her dressing table, staring at her reflection in the mirror, but seeing nothing.

"Brandon home again! That thought fill her mind to the exclusion of all else. And it expanded and threw out fears in all directions, but most prominent, the gravest fear of all, was the uncertainty as to her own will power.

"Jean Forrest, who had never before feared man or woman; who had never feared society or scandal, who had braved her husband's anger, who had laughed at his lapses from faith and honor, had upheld him and stood up for him through thick and thin, through evil report and good report, now—Jean Forrest was afraid.

"Afraid of Vivian, more afraid of Sayre, but most of all, afraid of herself. Afraid of that brave, strong, invincible self that had stood by her for twenty-five years without faltering.

"Sayre stared at the speaker. "I beg your pardon," he said.

"Oh, you know what I mean. Vivian has got his faults, and it's good for Jean to put up with them as she does, but he is very jealous and, if Jean—"

"I cannot let you go on, Forrest. You have no right to talk to me as I know you want to talk, and I'd rather stop now."

"All right, then. I only meant a friendly hint, for Jean's sake."

"For Jean's sake? Then she isn't happy with Vivian? Is he—does he—he—"

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"I deny that Jean and I ever had

a love affair."

"All right, Sayre; we won't quibe

over words. And if you and she

are not specially interested in each

other, so much the better for all

concerned. But take a friend's ad-

vise and don't let such an interest

begin."

"I'm half inclined to knock you

down."

"Oh, don't be silly. Put that off

for a day or two, and see how things

wrk out. Do you fence?"

"Yes, I may say I do."

"Then there's your chance. If

you really want to knock me down,

do it with folks. I'm a rotten

fence."

"Time enough for that. And if I

misunderstood, I'm sorry."

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Rev. E. P. Laycock, Former Victorian, Tells of Heroism Of British People

A letter received in this city from Rev. E. P. Laycock, who is in charge of the Church of England at Beckenham, near London, gives some interesting sidelights upon life as it is there under the bombing which is being kept up by the Germans. The writer of the letter was very popular during his residence in Victoria and as can be imagined he is staying faithfully with his work while bombs are bursting every night from 8 o'clock until about 5 a.m.

"We are not downhearted," he says in his letter. "There is no talk of anything but 'going on.' We must smash this foul evil of the brutal Nazi system."

An A.R.P. warden, he points out he is always on duty. He remains dressed at night, lying down in his clothes ready to render aid anywhere. Sometimes the duty is that of extinguishing incendiary bombs, which start fires in all directions, with soldiers rushing about courageously tackling the bombs and with terrific noise of all kinds never ceasing.

"The spirit of our people is wonderful," adds Mr. Laycock. "It gives an instance to support this regarding a very old grandfather, whose home was blown to ruins. The old man had to be helped down from an upstairs apartment, from which the roof and side walls had been blown, by means of a ladder, but upon his reaching the ground he got a small Union Jack and insisted upon returning by way of the ladder, when he planted the flag at the top of the wrecked home.

"The way is hard and the struggle desperate, but we are going on and on to victory," concludes the letter.

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New "Canada Carries On" Series  
"Britain at Bay"  
J. B. Priestley's Pictorialisation of Great Britain Defying Invasion!  
Walt Disney's Latest in Color.  
"THE WINDOW CLEANERS"  
With DONALD DUCK  
"Information Please" • News

**TODAY AND THURSDAY**  
DAILY AT 1:30, 4:30, 7:15, 9:45  
RADIO'S ACE OF COMICS  
CAST OF SCREEN FUNSTERS!  
★ Bob Burns ★ Mischa Auer  
AND! At 8:45, 9:30, 10:15, 11:30  
A NEW AND CHILLY THRILLER!  
BORIS KARLOFF • BELA LUGOSI  
IN "BLACK FRIDAY"  
Dominion

**ENDS TODAY** • At 12:00, 3:00,  
15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30  
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A JOYFEST OF FUN!  
I LOVE YOU AGAIN ATLAS  
Pete Dennis Morgan in  
"Kirk's End" With George Tobias

William Powell Myrna Loy  
Buy TIME! Save MONEY! Buy THRIFTICKETS!

**OAK**  
GRETA GARBO MELVYN DOUGLAS  
NINOTCHKA  
WAYNE MORRIS — PRISCILLA LANE  
"Brother Rat and a Baby"

**CADET**  
ONLY 5 MINUTES FROM YATES  
ENDS TODAY  
Spencer Tracy in "Edison, the Man" His greatest performance  
PLUS—"EMERGENCY SQUAD"—WM. HENRY LOUISE CAMPBELL  
ADDED—NEWS—STARTS AT 4 P.M.—ADULTS, 25¢ CHILDREN, 10¢

**V.H.S. ALUMNI DANCE**  
Hallowe'en Night, Thursday, Oct. 31  
CRYSTAL GARDEN  
\$1.00 Couple  
Zala's Orchestra

**PLAZA**  
TODAY ANOTHER ENGLISH SUCCESS EXCITINGLY TOGETHER!  
VIVIAN LEIGH - LAURENCE OLIVIER 21 Days Together  
A COLUMBIA PICTURE  
Showing at 11:30, 2:30, 4:30, 7:15, 9:45  
ADDED BLAZING DRAMA OF MEN-TURNED-INTO-NUMBERS!  
Behind Prison Gates

**RIO** ENDS TODAY  
LAUGHS GALORE!  
JOEL McCREA - NANCY KELLY  
"HE MARRIED HIS WIFE"  
PLAUS  
"CHARLIE CHAN IN PANAMA"  
WITH SIDNEY TOLER  
EXTRA NEWS 10¢ 12:30-2 15¢ 5-7:30  
RENTS ARE PEGGED

OTTAWA, Oct. 28 (CP) — The wartime price of rents had been pegged at the levels of January 2 in McDougall and Foley Townships and adjoining Parry Sound, Ont., and in Saanich and Oak Bay, suburbs of Victoria. Rents were pegged earlier in Parry Sound and Victoria.

**TEMPUS FUGIT**  
Bruce had a new money-box. Father had just put a quarter inside it.  
"Now, always remember one thing, Bruce," he said with a smile. "Time is money."  
"That's funny, dad," cried Bruce.  
"Why?"  
"Cause mom says you spend money in no time."

**DOMINION** Bob Burns has brought his banjo back to the screen in the new Universal comedy, "Alas the Deacon," now playing at the Dominion Theatre. Besides the banjo, Burns relates new stories about his famous kinfolk back in Van Buren, Ark., and altogether presents the homesy, humorous character that has made him unique among comedians.

**OAK BAY** Duplicating some of the oldest Royal jewels in Russia was the successfully completed task by two manufacturing jewelers assigned to

## PRISON TERM FOR SOLDIER

Private Dorsey W. McMahon Draws Six Months for Reckless Driving

For driving a motorcycle in a reckless manner on October 3, Private Dorsey W. McMahon was sentenced to serve six months in prison by Mr. Justice Sidney A. Smith at the Fall Assizes in the Courthouse yesterday morning. H. A. Beckwith appeared for the accused.

Private Earl McMillan died on October 8 from injuries received when a motorcycle driven by McMillan ran into an electric light standard at Dallas Road and Elbert Street. McMillan was a passenger in the sidecar.

Character evidence on behalf of McMillan was given by Mrs. Gladys Wyatt, proprietress of a shop at Bay and Ross Streets, and Provost Sergeant Charles H. Tait. J. B. Clearhue, K.C., the Crown prosecutor, read a telegram from Chief of Police H. B. McKay, Jefferson City, hoping that leniency would be shown to McMillan.

Soak Jack Kee was sentenced to serve six months in prison with a fine of \$200, or in default an additional two months for possessing opium in a Theatre Alley building on August 24.

Mr. Justice Smith thanked juries for their honest and conscientious attention to duty. He reminded them that their duty on behalf of the Crown was of great importance.

GETS GREEN SHIPPING

NEW YORK, Oct. 29 (AP) — A British broadcast picked up here today by National Broadcasting Company said that Great Britain has gained "a total of 1,800,000 tons in additional shipping" because Greece has placed her ships at Britain's disposal.

## At the Theatres

### AMUSEMENTS

#### On the Screen

Atlas — Myrna Loy in "I Love You Again."

Cadet — "Edison the Man" with Spencer Tracy.

Capitol — Errol Flynn in "The Sea Hawk."

Dominion — "Atlas the Deacon," with Bob Burns.

Oak Bay — Greta Garbo in "Ninotchka."

Plaza — "21 Days Together," with Vivien Leigh.

Plaza — Joel McCrea in "He Married His Wife."

Plaza — "I Love You Again," which ends today at the Plaza Theatre, starring William Powell and Myrna Loy. It is a fast-moving comedy dealing with the plight of a man who suffers from an eight-year attack of amnesia during which time he has developed an entirely new personality. In the supporting cast are Frank McHugh, Edmund Lowe, Donald Douglas and Nella Walker.

Capitol — Spencer Tracy plays a screen father for the first time in "Edison, the Man," biographical drama of the great inventor, which ends today at the Cadet Theatre. As Edsel son, he is the father of a daughter and a son.

Capitol — "The Sea Hawk," Errol Flynn's newest cinematic adventure, in which he is seen as the daring captain of a buccaneer ship, is now showing at the Capitol Theatre. His lovely new leading lady in the picture is Brenda Marshall,

Plaza — "Let's leave off the fuzzi-buzzi, and do," is Vivien Leigh's slogan whenever she tires of conversation. The actress, currently starred with Laurence Olivier and Leslie Banks at the Plaza Theatre in Columbia's "21 Days Together," finds her greatest pleasure in acting, rehearsing or studying for a rehearsal.

RIO Twentieth Century Fox's rollicking comedy, "He Married His Wife," will end today at the Rio Theatre. Joel McCrea and Nancy Kelly are the stars in this gay hit, and they receive marvelous support from a cast including such winners as Roland Young, Mary Boland and Caesar Romero.

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3:00 P.M.—Teenagers (CBR)

3:30 P.M.—Closing Stock Quotations (CBR)  
4:00 P.M.—Frank Welanabe (KOMO)  
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## Gunners Will Meet Arrows Tonight at The Sports Centre

**Senior "A" Men's Cage Squads All Set For Important Basketball Fixture—Two Other Games On Programme—First Contest at 7:00 O'Clock—Last Night's Results**

With undiluted occupation of second berth in the senior "A" men's basketball standings as the fruit of victory, Arrows and 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, R.C.A., will meet this evening at the Victoria Sports Centre. The important clash will headline a triple card, which will pit senior "B" and intermediate quintettes in action in the supporting fixtures.

Both the Gunners and the Arrows registered victories in their last outs. The artillerymen took the measure of West Road, while the Arrows trimmed K.V.'s. Tonight's battle will be the first meeting of the two squads, figure by critics as chief contenders along with the Dominions for the senior championship.

"Hank" Rowe, former Domino ace, now a gunner in the Royal Canadian Artillery, will lead the lancers against the Arrows. The lanky forward with the delayed bucket shot was top scorer in his club's last triumph, and will be expected to amass most of their points in this evening's important tussle.

Doug Whyte, with the Arrows last season, and Doug Bray, well-known local athlete, carry most of the Gunners' offensive. However, there are a number of other players who show promise with the artillery quintette, and if given a chance to do a little more work would probably prove quite an asset to the team.

**AT FULL STRENGTH**  
Arrows will be at full strength for the clash with the artillerymen, and, while they will take the floor slightly favorites, do not in any way underestimate the strength of the 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, R.C.A. Manager Frank Shandley will probably start Sonny Walker and Ollie Belsham on the defence, with "Bushy"

## TWO HORSES IN \$10,000

Challedon and Can't Wait  
Lone Entries in Pimlico Special

BALTIMORE, Oct. 29 (CP)—W. L. Brann's Challedon and Myron Selznick's Can't Wait will fight it out in the Pimlico Special Friday.

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## CORNELL TOPS GRID POLLING

Leading Team in American Football According to The Balloons

NEW YORK, Oct. 29 (AP)—It was the East against the Middle West tonight in the third week of the Associated Press United States college football ranking poll, with Cornell continuing as top choice for No. 1 team of the season and Notre Dame, Michigan, and Minnesota furnishing the toughest competition in that order.

Cornell, winner of Ohio State last Saturday by the biggest score run up against the Buckeyes in seven years, got 8½ first-place votes out of 160 for a total of 1,461.5 points. But the Ithacans had their margin more than cut in half from a week ago. Notre Dame improving its runner-up position by slicing the Cornell lead from 321 points to 146.

The rankings (points based on 10-8-7 etc., basis):

1. Cornell 1,461.5; 2. Notre Dame 1,315.8; 3. Michigan 1,208.4; Minnesota 1,044.5; 5. Texas A. and M. 970; 6. Stanford 738.7; Tennessee 665; 8. Northwestern 638; 9. Boston College 401; 10. Ute between Clemson and Georgetown 132.

Jackson and Morry Hornaby as forwards, Vic Dale will probably jump at centre. Ian McKeachie, Rex Jackson and Parfitt will be in uniform and ready to jump into the game at a moment's notice.

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St. Louis College, Capitols and Navy registered victories in city league cage games played last night at the Victoria High School Gymnasium.

Taking the floor in the curtain raiser, St. Louis College, smart junior boys' quintette, turned back the Young Arrows 31-14. The eventual winners established a 17-2 lead in the first half and coasted to an easy triumph.

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## MARIE BERGER WINS ANOTHER

NEW YORK, Oct. 29 (CP)—Maxie Berger, Canadian welterweight contender, made it twenty-four consecutive fights without a defeat by puncturing the ear of east Victoria over Billy Shandley, Jersey City veteran, in the feature eight-round attraction at the Bronx Coliseum tonight. Berger came in at 144 1-2 pounds, Beahud at 146 1-4.

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## 80,000 PEOPLE ARE EXPECTED

Big Crowd Is Predicted for Notre Dame-Army Game Next Saturday

WEST POINT, N.Y., Oct. 29 (AP)—Though Army has beaten only Williams, while Notre Dame has romped past each of its four opponents, their football game in New York, Saturday, will draw its customary complement of 80,000 cash customers.

Army Athletic Association officials announced today they are being swamped with last-minute requests for tickets which cannot be filled. The Notre Dame quota was exhausted a month ago.

The cadets face this game with the poorest record they ever have carried into action against the Irish, a team already being compared favorably with the great 1930 Knute Rockne machine. Winner by only one point, Williams in the open Army was whipped by Cornell and Lafayette and played a 6-6 tie with Harvard.

Yet all of the factors pointing to an easy victory for Notre Dame obviously have not scared off the customers.

The experts' speculation about the game which they are conceding to the Irish is in advance, concerned itself chiefly with how the Irish will manage to hold down the score. The Army-Notre Dame rivalry has been a long one—begun in 1913 when Gus Dorais' forward passes to Rockne were a startling innovation.

## Retains Golf Title

ST. CATHARINES, Ont., Oct. 29 (CP)—Troy Chisholm, whopped around the St. Catharines Golf Club course today in one-over-par 71, to successfully defend his championship of the Toronto Maple Leafs training camp.

Troy Broda's 80, Sweeney Schriner's 81 and Johnny McCreedy's 86 were the other good scores.

## Vancouver Squad To Make Tour of California State

VANCOUVER, Oct. 29 (CP)—Plans were under way today for a California tour of a Vancouver Rugby team early next year.

Les Pope, president of the Vancouver English Rugby Union, discussed the proposed tour with other officials following discussions in Seattle over the weekend with Dr. Miles Madison, Rugby coach of the University of California.

Mr. Pope said that Dr. Hudson favored an officially sponsored tour by a Canadian team, the proceeds from which would go to the American Red Cross.

It was suggested that the Canadian team swing farther south than in previous tours, when British Columbia sides met Stanford and California Universities, and play teams sponsored by members of the motion picture colony at Hollywood.

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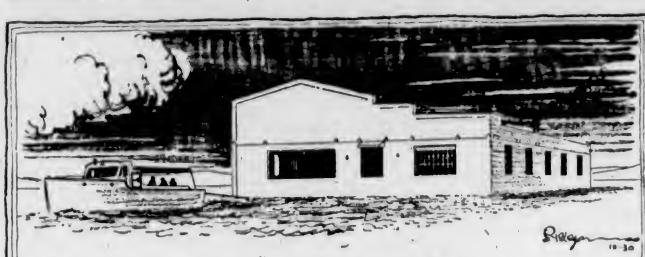
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## BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . . . By Ripley



ALL YESTERDAY'S ITEMS SELF-EXPLANATORY

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## Plenty of Action Seen At Naval Boxing Show

Young Sailor Fisticuffers Delight Crowd of More Than 800 With Good Programme—Seven Knockdowns—Band in Attendance

Game, young sailor fisticuffers, the majority of them appearing in competitive bouts for the first time, last night provided a two-hour show for upwards of 800 enthusiastic boxing fans at the R.C.N. Drill Hall. Fourteen scraps, climaxcd by a smart exhibition bout, rounded out a programme that, while lacking in scientific boxing, produced some rugged mauling, seven knockdowns and many laughs.

The all-navy Bill was an exhibition melee between Telegraphist Smith, Edmonton, and Ordinary Seaman Battaglia, of Winnipeg, with the former displaying splendid footwork, smart boxing and heavier punching power. Battaglia was the world's greatest money winner with earnings of \$36,760 in the period 1931-40 before being displaced by C. S. Howard's Seabuck, and Suntaica are not being sold.

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**LEADERS MARK UP THIRD WIN**

Hills U-Drive Continues Successful Bid for Senior Table Tennis Laurels

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Liberty Cafe ..... 4 2 2 0 4  
Macdonald Electric ..... 4 1 2 1 3  
Sylvester U-Drive ..... 4 1 3 0 2

Last Night's Results  
Hill's U-Drive 21, Macdonald Electric 15.  
Liberty Cafe 19, Sylvester 17.

**WILDFIRE POPULAR**

The fans were mostly naval ratings, and they had their favorites, with the younger who received the greatest applause, and was, perhaps, the most popular, was good-looking, curly-haired "Cowboy" Shea, an ordinary seaman. He stepped three rounds with Petty Officer Galbraith, many years his senior, and something of a "playful fellow," and

was the clear favorite.

**MIKE WOODWARD**

Galbraith defeated Shea; Clemmons won both games.

**WILDFIRE POPULAR**

Picks — Edith Laidman, 151; Margaret Money, 316; Marjorie Ladish, 186; Doris Gill, 302; Sheila Prentiss, 186; Gloria Gill, 439; Dorothy Goss, 186; Shirley Masters, 216; Marjorie Cowden, 147; Gwen Brewster, 202; Joyce McIvor, 204; May Thompson, 205; Total, 1,031.

Results — Win-Person, 477; Prengy Gardner, 429; Myrtle Bell, 230; Julia Mitchell, 288; Charles Townson, 269; Total, 1,031.

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## RECENT RACE INVESTIGATED

**Stewards at River Downs Make Inquiry Into Sponging of Horses**

CINCINNATI, Oct. 29 (CP).—Investigation into the sponging of two horses in yesterday's fifth race at River Downs disclosed today, stewards said, that two other entries in the six-horse feature attraction were similarly tampered with.

Performance of Odessa's Pride and Caraval dissatisfied officials, who asked that an examination be made by the track veterinarian, M. J. Stereveld. It revealed sponges had been placed in the animals' noses, said Jack Young, presiding track judge.

Dr. Stereveld reported today similar obstructions had been placed in the nostrils of Senschal and Whistling Dick had a sponge in each nostril. Senschal, which set the pace for three furlongs, had one in only one side of its nose.

Belle Elan, entry of Mrs. Dave Christian, of Illinois, won the \$1,000 pure-mile-and-forty-yards event and paid \$10.20 for \$1, despite recent bad form.

Secretary Helen Rickett of the State Racing Commission said the commission would investigate.

## LEGISLATURE IS OPENED HERE

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Prayers were read by Rt. Rev. H. E. Sexton, Bishop of Columbia. Then followed the return of the wait seating Manfred McGee, newly-elected Liberal member for Mackenzie, who was introduced to Mr. Speaker Whitaker and conducted to his seat by Premier Patullo and Hon. Dr. G. M. Weir.

Routine amendments to the Weekly Half-Holiday Act were taken through first reading, to preserve the right of the Commons to deal first with their own business, and then the main debate was adjourned until today. The House named its committee on committees, under J. H. Forrester (Liberal, Burrard), and departmental reports were tabled in a rush.

### VOTE OF SYMPATHY

With the House on the eve of adjournment for the day, Premier Patullo rose to pay a stirring tribute to the men who had gone down in H.M.C.S. Margaree, on convoy duty in the Atlantic. He was joined by R. L. Maitland, K.C., Conservative Leader of the Opposition, and by Harold E. Winch, C.C.F. chieftain in the Legislature. The Premier said, in part:

"Mr. Speaker, I wish to move that this House express its great regret at the loss of life occasioned by the going down of H.M.C.S. Margaree. It was a very sad occurrence, and one which illustrates the dangers to which not only the navy, but all three services are hourly and daily subjected. Our sympathy, I am sure, goes out to all, as it does, to those whose loss came through

### Victoria United To Travel Sunday To Play Nanaimo

**Victoria United** in the Pacific Coast Football League, will journey to Nanaimo on Sunday to oppose the Up-Islanders in a league fixture at the Central Sports grounds. Time for the kick-off has not been announced, but the fixture will probably get under way at 3 o'clock.

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## NATIONAL BODY SELECTS SLATE

### J. S. Woodsworth, Retiring Leader of C.C.F. Becomes Honorary President

WINNIPEG, Oct. 29 (CP).—In an enthusiastic wind-up to a two-day meeting, delegates to the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation's sixth national convention late today acclaimed their retiring leader, J. S. Woodsworth, as the organization's first honorary president. It was a unanimous decision of the fifty delegates from coast to coast.

At the same time the convention decided against filing the traditional presidency, which Mr. Woodsworth is vacating because of ill-health. It was a post he held since foundation of the C.C.F. in 1933.

### COLDWELL CHAIRMAN

Unanimous re-election as national chairman of M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. member in the House of Commons for Rosetown-Biggar, was also recorded as delegates quickly ran through election of officers for the next two years. Mr. Coldwell has been national chairman for the last three years.

### THE "METAL" FROM PAPER

OTTAWA, Oct. 29 (CP).—A souvenir of war received here by the parents of Lance-Corporal William C. Dennis, of an infantry holding unit of the Canadian Active Service Force, indicated that Germany has a substitute for metal made from paper. The souvenir is a section of compressed paper, processed to metal hardness, taken from the motor of a German raider shot down in England.

### JOHN ST. CLAIR

John St. Clair, of the Canadian Legion, Victoria, B.C., has been elected president of the Legion in the Victoria area.

### COUNCIL MEMBERS

Members of the National Council are: William Irvine, of Wetaskiwin, Alta., former member of Parliament; Rev. T. C. Douglas, C.C.F. Member of Parliament for Weyburn; David Lewis, Ottawa, national secretary; L. Isaacs, Toronto; H. Gargrave, Vancouver, secretary of the British Columbia section of the C.C.F.; A. M. Nicholson, C.C.F. Member of Parliament for Mackenzie.

### CONSERVATIVES NOT OPPOSING LAURIER

OTTAWA, Oct. 29 (CP).—The East Ottawa Conservative Association decided tonight against nominating a candidate in opposition to Hon. Robert Laurier, newly-appointed Ontario Minister of Mines in the November 27 East Ottawa Ontario by-election.

Private Alex Denegremont, of the Governor-General's Foot Guards, has announced his intention of running as a Social Credit candidate.

### TWINS BURNED

BURK'S FALLS, Oct. 29 (CP).—The three-year-old twin children of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Andrews of this Northern Ontario district were burned to death today when fire destroyed their two-story log dwelling.

### FOR THE RED CROSS

VANCOUVER, Oct. 29 (CP).—Report received from the Alert Bay and district branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society today showed \$5,700 was donated in a war fund drive there by less than 900 persons. The total is \$3,700 over the quota set for the Alert Bay district.

### NO LONGER CITIZENS

VICHY, France, Oct. 29 (CP).—The citizenship of twenty-two Frenchmen, men and women, including that of Alex Leiser, former secretary-general of the Foreign Ministry, was revoked by the Vichy Government today for "having left French territory" without its permission.

## No New Car Models For 1943 Expected If U.S. Enters War

### Industrial War Plants Being Built Across Border And Automobile Factories May Be Too Busy to Make Private Motors

By COL. FREDERICK PALMER  
North American Newspaper Alliance

**N**EW YORK, Oct. 29.—When I was in Detroit a few days ago, on a round of visits to industrial war plants already in operation or in the making, it appeared likely that, if we go into the war, we shall have no new private automobile models in 1943.

In war's tightening regimentation the would-be buyer will have to be content with a 1942 model if he is allowed any new car at all, and his old car may be requisitioned if it is not already in war service. For this would be one of the most obvious reasons in rationing; once our present huge programme is expanded in unprecedented limits to carry the war overseas, which will be the only way to win a conclusive victory; as we found it was in the stress of our "work or fight" effort of 1918.

Dismissed this prospect, which is not jokingly suggested, inquiry centres in the progress of the programme in Detroit, a star city in one kind of mass production when the call is for the mass production of weapons.

**NEW TANK PLANT**

"That's it," said the driver of the car which took me out to the site of the forthcoming Chrysler tank plant, where steam shovels were excavating for the foundations. "It will go up so fast it will make you turn out better tanks than Hitler can."

So it will, and so we can. No industry, starting from scratch, should be able to get tank production sooner

than the highly organized automobile industry. But not even Detroit can toss a streak of tanks magically from a hat, not when it takes from six months to a year to tool up for a new model car.

When Chairman Knudsen, of the National Advisory Defence Commission, called up K. T. Keller, president of Chrysler's, and asked him whether he could make tanks, Keller was agreeable, subject to more information about how they were made.

"Come on, let's see," Knudsen long-distanted back from Washington.

**AN ENORMOUS TASK**

Keller returned to Detroit with half a cord of blueprints, which gave the Chrysler staff some idea of the enormous task of processing them, along with changes and improvements and as a result of the combat lessons learned in the battles of Flanders and France.

A tank resembles an automobile in that it has engine and wheels, but the engine now wanted is an

airplane engine and the wheels are caterpillar instead of rubber.

Now until September 30, three months after the fall of France, did Chrysler's receive the contract. The cause of the delay was not their business, which was to make the tanks. Meanwhile, they had been busy mastering the blueprints. Immediately the contract was signed the steam shovels began work on the site of the \$20,000,000 plant.

### AIRPLANE ENGINES

Other automobile companies have contracts for airplane engines. When Henry Ford refused to make British Rolls-Royce liquid-cooled engines, since 65 per cent was to go to the British and only 35 per cent to us, the project was finally assigned to Packard. There was some delay in receiving the blueprints from Britain, but all are in hand, practically ready for processing, and the walls of the plant

is to make engines exclusively for us in a plant with no windows and even artificial light throughout. No workman can see whether it is fair or stormy outside. There will be no playing the old trick in the even heat of making a steel part fit through expansion by exposure to the sun pouring through a window.

The old master ought to do a good job. It will not be his first experience with airplane engines. When Colonel E. A. Deeds, of the Aircraft Production Board, went to Ford in 1917 to ask him whether he could find a way of avoiding the trouble of boring cylinders in steel blocks for the Liberty engine, Ford paged up and down the room, and at length said:

"I'll try it if it's the thing for me to do." In a few days he had a tube of drawn steel which stood the test.

### MACHINE TOOLS NEEDED

We have unsurpassed mechanical inventiveness and initiative, but it is a fairly safe bet that all these plants will be ready long before the machines are for installation. The delay in the authorization of the

expansion of machine tool plants is the one which will continue to haunt us—along with the need of more skilled labor.

Happily for the contractors, we are proceeding with mass production of types instead of waiting longer for perfect types. The decision is that of a production board in Detroit who says: "Maybe that is something better, but we are tooling up for next year's model and we are going to start to make it, or we'll not have it in time."

Each concentrated on his specific task, contractors may smile at a suggestion of new models in 1943. But in moving about from plant to plant there is no realising the impression of the enormous increase of the quantity and mechanical complexity of weapons since the Great War. Once we are in this war there must be tooling up for more and more new models and material and skilled labor will have to meet the incredibly colossal demands of a globular orbit and astronomical figures in our calculations. Few of us will be allowed pleasure vehicles.

## POLISH PEOPLE REMAIN ACTIVE

**News Agency Reports Spirit Of Resistance to Enemy Still Alive**

LONDON, Oct. 29 (CP).—The Polish Telegraph Agency said today that a new series of execution sentences published recently in the German newspapers of Poland confirm anew the spirit of resistance is well alive among the Poles.

The agency said a Polish workman was sentenced to death for hiding three rifles and sixty-seven rounds of ammunition, and two others for illegal possession of arms.

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**According to Culbertson****LAST TUESDAY'S QUESTION**

Question 13.—Only East-West vulnerable. The bidding proceeds:

South West North East  
1 ♠ 2 ♣ Double 2 ♦

?

You are South and hold:

♦ A Q 7 5 3 2 ♦ K ♦ K 4 3

What call do you make?

Answer: Pass. The temptation here is to rebid your six card spade suit, but, under the vulnerability conditions, this would be extremely short sighted. Your partner has doubled two clubs for penalties. He may be equally anxious to double hearts. You and I are not strong enough to make a two heart double, but you would welcome such a double if it came from your partner, hence you must pass to give him the opportunity. Anyway, there is considerable doubt that you can go game unless partner can bid over your pass (20 points demerit for two spades; 30 points demerit for a double; 50 points demerit for any other bid.)

**LAST WEDNESDAY'S QUESTIONS**

Question 14.—You are East, defending against South's four spade contract, doubled by your partner. Your hand and dummy are as follows:

NORTH (Dummy)  
♦ 9 4 2  
♦ J 6 5  
♦ K 9 4  
♦ Q J 9 4YOU (East)  
♦ A 5  
♦ K A K 10 8 4 2  
♦ A J 10  
♦ A 7 6 2

West opens the heart nine. (You had bid hearts). Dummy plays low, you win with king and South drops the queen. What card do you return?

Answer: You should return the diamond jack. This establishes two diamond tricks for your side when partner gets on lead with a trump or a club. You don't return a high heart on the mere hope that South's play of the queen was a false card. A club return, establishing dummy's club suit before you have set up two diamonds for yourself, would be very bad defence (30 points demerit for a spade, heart, or club return; 15 points demerit for diamond ten return; 50 points demerit for diamond ace return).

Question 15.—Both sides vulnerable. The bidding proceeds:

South West North East  
1 ♠ 1 ♣ Pass 3 NT Pass  
?

You are South and hold:

♦ 2 ♠ K A 10 7 ♠ Q 10 4 ♠ K Q 10 5

What call do you make?

Answer: Double. This is a take-out or informative double, and with your great strength in three suits, is the only correct action. If North holds some strength in spades, he can make a penalty pass; otherwise, he must show his best suit. It would be foolish of you to "stab" at either diamonds or clubs in the hope of "hitting" partner's length (25 points demerit for a three diamond or three club bid; 40 points demerit for any other call, including a pass).

**TODAY'S QUESTIONS**

Question 21.—You are East, defending against a three no trump contract. (Your side made no bid.) Your partner leads the spade Jack. Your hand and dummy are as follows:

NORTH  
♦ A 5  
♦ Q 4  
♦ K Q 10 8 2  
♦ K 7 3YOU (East)  
♦ Q 7  
♦ K 6 3 2  
♦ A 4 3  
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Dummy's spade ace is played on first trick. What card do you play, and why?

Question 22.—You are East, defending against three no trump contract. (Your side did not bid.) Your partner leads the diamond ace. Dummy comes down with the 6-3 diamonds; you hold the J-8-2. What card do you play, and why?

**TODAY'S HANDS**

South, dealer.

Neither side vulnerable.

**LIFE'S LIKE THAT** - By Fred Neher

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East

Pass

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